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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicants: Putnam, et al.  
Serial No.: 09/175,156  
Filed: October 19, 1998  
Title: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR  
PROVIDING CUSTOMIZED  
AUDIO RESPONSES TO  
INCOMING PHONE CALLS**

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

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Dear Sir:

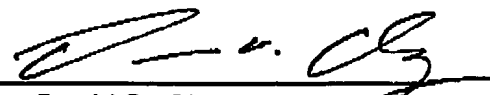
Applicant(s) hereby request an extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated May 19, 2004. This two (2) month extension will extend the due date from August 19, 2004 to October 19, 2004. An appropriate response in the form of an Amendment is enclosed herewith.

Please charge the extension fee of \$430 to our Deposit Account No. 19-2179. Please also charge this deposit account for any additional fees required, or credit any overpayment, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25.

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Respectfully requested,

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